

**REMARKS**

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment, mailed October 4, 2006, in which the Examiner states that claims are labeled as "Previously Presented" when they should be properly labeled as "Original". Therefore, the claims labeled as "Previously Presented" are labeled as "Original" herein.

Claims 1, 2, 5-12, and 17 have been amended, as they were in the Amendment filed July 17, 2006. Claims 1-22 are pending and under consideration. No new matter is being presented.

The Remarks filed July 17, 2006 are incorporated herein by reference.

Finally, if there are any formal matters remaining after this response, the Examiner is requested to telephone the undersigned to attend to these matters.

If there are any additional fees associated with filing of this Amendment, please charge the same to our Deposit Account No. 19-3935.

Respectfully submitted,

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